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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Mail Stop AF
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Dear Sir:

The Applicants of the above-captioned patent application hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated April 20, 2005 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-21.

An extension of time to respond to the final rejection is hereby requested for one month. The payment for the one month extension fee and the appeal fee should be charged to Deposit Account No. 12-2252.

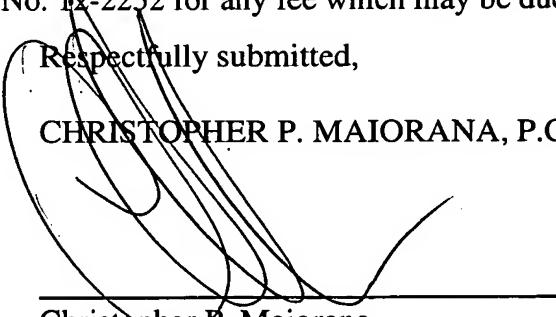
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